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## CHAPTER 768

AN ACT TO AMEND CHAPTER FOUR HUNDRED AND NINETY-NINE OF THE PUBLIC-LOCAL LAWS OF ONE THOUSAND NINE HUNDRED AND TWENTY-FIVE TO GIVE THE RECORDER'S COURT OF NASH COUNTY JURISDICTION IN DIVORCE ACTIONS.

*The General Assembly of North Carolina do enact:*

SECTION 1. That Chapter one hundred and seventy-six of the Public-Local Laws of one thousand nine hundred and eleven, as amended by Chapter four hundred and ninety-nine of the Public-Local Laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five, be further amended by adding at the end of Section two of Chapter four hundred and ninety-nine of the Public-Local Laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five a new subsection to read as follows:

Ch. 176, Public-Local Laws, 1911, amended.

"(e) Concurrent, original and final jurisdiction with the Superior Courts of all actions for divorce."

Jurisdiction of Recorder's Court of Nash County in divorce actions.

SEC. 2. That Section four of Chapter four hundred and twenty-nine of the Public-Local Laws of one thousand nine hundred and twenty-five be amended by adding at the end thereof, "The jury to try divorce actions shall be twelve in number and may be composed entirely of talesmen to be summoned by order of the recorder in a manner similar to that provided in Section two thousand three hundred and twenty-one of the Consolidated Statutes, and said talesmen shall receive one dollar per day and no mileage, and the recorder, if he thinks the ends of justice demand, may have the pay of said jurors who sit upon the case taxed in the bill of cost against the party required to pay the cost."

Sec. 4, Ch. 429, Public-Local Laws, 1925, amended.

Jury for divorce actions.

SEC. 3. That Section twenty-one of Chapter one hundred and twenty-six of the Public-Local Laws of one thousand nine hundred and eleven be further amended by adding at the end of said section the words, "If a jury is demanded in any criminal action in this court, the said action shall be immediately transferred to the Superior Court for trial and disposition in that court."

Sec. 21, Chapter 126, Public-Local Laws, 1911, amended.

Transfer of criminal actions to Superior Court where jury demanded.

SEC. 4. That Section one of Chapter three hundred and fourteen of the Public-Local Laws of one thousand nine hundred and thirty-one be amended by striking out in lines fourteen, fifteen, sixteen, and seventeen the following: "At the same amount paid the recorder of said court, that is, the salary of the recorder and prosecuting attorney shall at all times hereafter be the same."

Sec. 1, Ch. 314, Public-Local Laws, 1931, amended.

SEC. 5. That all laws and clauses of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act are hereby repealed.

Conflicting laws repealed.